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Applicant hereby submits the attached NOTICE OF APPEAL (1 page); and PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (1 page), for entry in the above-noted application.

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Applicant:

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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated March 20, 2006 of the Primary Examiner, the application having been at least twice rejected.

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To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 1374.32049RV1) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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